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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): T. KUSAKI, et al

Serial No.: 09/743,631

Filed: January 12, 2001

For: METHOD OF SWITCHING BUSY LINES IN MOBILE
COMMUNICATION NETWORK

Group: 2683

Examiner: S. D'Agosta

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 22, 2004

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the final decision dated July 22, 2004 of the Primary Examiner, finally rejecting claims 21 and 22. The items below are appropriate:

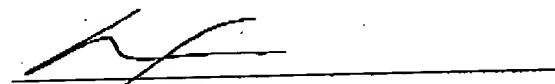
**An Amendment and Petition for Extension of Time were filed
on December 22, 2004.**

The fee of \$500.00 for this Notice is also submitted.

To the extent necessary, applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the deposit account of MATTINGLY, STANGER & MALUR, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-1417 (Case No. 566.39480X00).

Respectfully submitted,

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